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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Robert J. Chansler  
Serial No. : 09/467,310  
Filed : December 17, 1999  
Title : USER INTERFACE SUBSTITUTION

Art Unit : 2124  
Examiner : Qamrun Nahar

**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

INTERVIEW SUMMARY

On January 19, 2005, the Examiner, Robert Chandler, and the undersigned conducted a telephonic interview. During the interview, the rejection under 35 U.S.C. § 102 was discussed, the Rangarajan reference was discussed. Specifically, the undersigned pointed out that Rangarajan does not disclose executing the logic in the function description to select an appearance description of a first appearance to be presented by the user interface. The undersigned also stated that Rangarajan fails to disclose an arrangement in which a function description selects an appearance description or a function description may be changed without affecting appearance. The undersigned also stated amending the claims to clarify these differences would put the claims in condition for allowance. The Examiner indicated that any such amendments would be considered. However, no agreement was reached.

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